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EMPLOYMENT RATIO IN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTOR
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Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether the employment ratio in public and private sector has been declining since 1996;

(b) if so, the details of employment in both sector during the last three years, year-wise; and

(c) the details of comparative data of growth in population during the said period?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI ASHOK PRADHAN)

a) & b) Employment ratio in the public and Private Organised sector has not registered any significant change over the years since 1996. Details of employment in these sectors during the period 1998-2000 (latest available) are given below: Sector Employment during (in Lakhs)

	1998	1999	2000
Public	193.67	194.15	193.14
Private	87.84	86.98	86.46
Total Organised Sector	281.50	281.13	279.60

c) As per the Census 2001 data, annual average growth rate of population during 1991-2001 was of the order of 2.13%.